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THE MID-ATLANTIC RECREATION AND PARKS' SPORTS ALLIANCE 2014 DENNIS CALLAHAN "GOOD SPORTS" AWARD RECIPIENTS

FREDERICK, MD – The Mid-Atlantic Recreation and Parks' Sports Alliance (MARPSA) will recognize youth players, coaches and administrators throughout the Maryland and Virginia areas at a special reception and awards ceremony in Annapolis on Monday, March 24th. Award recipients will receive their awards from MARPSA in the Blue Heron Room at Quiet Waters Park in Annapolis. Quiet Waters Park is located at 600 Quiet Waters Park Road, Annapolis, MD 21403.

The Dennis Callahan Good Sport Awards is a MARPSA sponsored program providing opportunities for member jurisdictions to recognize young athletes, coaches and administrators who have modeled GoodSports actions and behaviors in local athletics. The Good Sports Award is named after Dennis Callahan, co-founder of MARPSA and former Director of the Anne Arundel County Parks and Recreation Department. Frederick County Parks and Recreation is pleased to be a member of this organization and to be participating in this wonderful event.

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The Mid-Atlantic Recreation and Parks' Sports Alliance is a consortium of Recreation and Parks Departments, sports officiating groups, and sport governing bodies in the region. Each member organization designates a player, coach and administrator to represent their community as a model of Good Sports.

The mission of the Alliance is to develop and communicate a consistent message that organizations and their players, coaches and spectators will be held accountable to a code of conduct that promotes GoodSports and keeps recreational competitive and non-competitive sporting activities in proper perspective.

Awards winners to be honored from Frederick County include:

Coach – Alandus "Doc" Hilliard Athlete – Atticus Leibman Administrator – Jim Stockman Official – John O'Connell

If you have any questions about the Mid-Atlantic Recreation and Parks' Sports Alliance, please contact Mac Slover, President at 703.746.5407.

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